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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and §§1.97 and 1.98 as amended, Applicant cites, provides copies and discusses the following art references:

| <u>U.S. Patent App. Publication No.</u> | <u>Inventor</u> | <u>Date</u> |
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| 3. 6,615,250 | Brunet et al. | 9/2/2003 |
| 4. 6,564,341 | Sundaram et al. | 5/13/2003 |
| 5. 6,553,416 | Chari et al. | 4/22/2003 |
| 6. 6,292,472 | Rariden et al. | 9/18/2001 |

Kinderman et al.'785 discloses error codes in Agent X.

Levi'585 discloses method and system for simple network management protocol status tracking.

Brunet et al.'250 discloses agent for communication between a manager and at least one resource of a data processing system.

Sundaram et al.'341 discloses carrier-grade SNMP interface for fault monitoring.

Chari et al.'416 discloses managing computer system alerts.

Rariden et al.'472 discloses reduced polling in an SNMPv1-managed network.

The citation of the foregoing references is not intended to constitute an assertion that other or more relevant art does not exist. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to make a wide-ranging and thorough search of the relative arts.

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